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SUBJECT: IMF PRESENCE IN CAMBODIA

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1. EVERS HAS RETURNED.

2. MINISTER OF FINANCE, PLAN AND ECONOMY, KHY TAING LIM, TOLD US TODAY THAT EVERS SAID TO HIM (A) THE IMF WAS WITHDRAWING (B) THERE WOULD BE NO MORE IMF MISSIONS AND (C) THERE WOULD BE NO VISITS BY CHABRIER.

3. ADVISED KHY TAING LIM THAT WAS NOT OUR UNDERSTANDING, SAID WE ASSUMED THAT CHABRIER WOULD CONTINUE TO VISIT, THAT THERE WOULD BE IMF MISSIONS FROM TIME TO TIME AND THAT ESF WOULD CONTINUE.

4. IN VIEW OF A CLEAR CONFLICT BETWEEN WHAT WE UNDERSTAND EVERS INSTRUCTIONS ARE AND WHAT HE APPARENTLY IS TELLING GKR, REQUEST REAFFIRMATION AS TO WHAT ARE EVERS INSTRUCTIONS. BELIEVE IMF SHOULD EXPRESS ITS POLICY TO GKR IN WRITING, IF AT ALL POSSIBLE, BY CABLE THROUGH EVERS.

5. ABOVE OBVIOUSLY UNDERSCORES NEED FOR EARLY CHABRIER VISIT.
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